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FISCAL IMPACT STATEMENT

LS 6539 NOTE PREPARED: Dec 13, 2002

BILL NUMBER: SB 134 BILL AMENDED:

SUBJECT: Grants for community learning programs.

FIRST AUTHOR: Sen. Breaux

BILL STATUS: As Introduced

FIRST SPONSOR:

FUNDS AFFECTED: X GENERAL IMPACT: State & Local

DEDICATED FEDERAL

STATE IMPACT	FY 2003	FY 2004	FY 2005
State Revenues			
State Expenditures		2,500,000	2,500,000
Net Increase (Decrease)		(2,500,000)	(2,500,000)

LOCAL IMPACT	CY 2003	CY 2004	CY 2005
Local Revenues		2,500,000	2,500,000
Local Expenditures			
Net Increase (Decrease)		2,500,000	2,500,000

Summary of Legislation: This bill establishes grants for community learning programs for adults residing within the boundaries of a school corporation. The bill makes an appropriation of \$5,000,000 for the grants.

Effective Date: July 1, 2003.

Explanation of State Expenditures: The bill appropriates \$5 M for the 2003-2005 biennium from the state General Fund to fund grants for community learning programs. The program would be administered by the State Board of Education. The State Board of Education would give preference to community learning

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programs that include:

- 1. Adult literacy programs;
- 2. Distance learning;
- 3. Health seminars; or
- 4. Health screening.

The state impact table above assumes that the appropriation would be split equally between FY 2004 and FY 2005.

Explanation of State Revenues:

Explanation of Local Expenditures:

<u>Explanation of Local Revenues:</u> The local impact table above assumes that due to the application process the first funds would not be distributed until January 2004 to local schools.

State Agencies Affected: Department of Education.

Local Agencies Affected: Local Schools.

Information Sources:

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